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THE JANE COFFIN CHILDS MEMORIAL FUND  
FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH  
333 CEDAR STREET  
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August 20, 1946

Professor Edmund W. Sinnott, Director  
Sheffield Scientific School  
Yale University

Dear Professor Sinnott:

I have the pleasure of informing you that the Board of Managers of The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research voted by mail ballot of August 5 to reappoint Mr. Joshua Lederberg a Fellow of The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research with assignment for supervision to the Department of Botany, Yale University, for a period of one year beginning September 7, 1946, and ending September 6, 1947; and that a grant in the total sum of \$2,400 be made to Yale University, Department of Botany, to be used during the year beginning September 7, 1946, and ending September 6, 1947, to provide a fellowship of \$1,800 and a research allowance of \$600 for the year for Mr. Lederberg as a Fellow of The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research, representing a second grant under Project No. 61-6.

Payments for the research expense allowance and stipend of Mr. Lederberg will be made by transfer of funds in the office of the Treasurer of Yale University to the account of this project, according to the following schedule:

Shortly after September 10, 1946:	\$300 research expense allowance 600 stipend
Shortly after January 1, 1947:	300 research expense allowance 900 stipend
Shortly after July 1, 1947:	300 stipend

Any unexpended balance as of September 6, 1947, is to be returned to the Fund.

Mr. Lederberg is asked to agree to furnish to the Board of Scientific Advisers a report of the work done shortly after the termination of the fellowship. He is also asked to send to this office 25 reprints of publications reporting the results of work supported by this grant and in each publication to include the following acknowledgments:

Fellow of The Jane Coffin Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research  
This investigation has been aided by a grant from The Jane Coffin  
Childs Memorial Fund for Medical Research.

Ltr. to Prof. Sinnott

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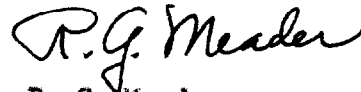
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The patent policy of the Fund includes the following requests:

- (a) notification of the Fund whenever a patentable discovery is foreseen,
  - (b) consideration of each case on its merits, (c) joint decision by the Fund, the University, and the investigator on the question of taking out a patent by the Fund or some non-profit organization, and (d) administration of patents and control of products or methods for the best interest of public welfare.
- Investigators receiving grants from the Fund are asked to subscribe in principle to this policy.

Please let me know whether this appointment is acceptable under the stated conditions.

Sincerely yours,



R. G. Meader

cc: President Seymour  
Dr. Tatum  
Mr. Lederberg ✓